Notice, dated 15th March 1904.

The following business will be transacted at the Ordinary meeting of the Municipal Commissioners for the City of Mysore to be held in the Rangacharlu Memorial Hall at 7-30 A. M. on Saturday the 26th March 1904.

I. Consideration of accounts of receipts and disbursements with the auditor's report and also vital and other statistics for the month of February 1904.

II. Government Proceedings No. 3201—L. F. 2-93, dated 25th February 1904, informing that sanction cannot be accorded to the change of levying the water rate on house service connections quarterly instead of annually.

III. Government Proceedings No. 3233—L. F. 48-97, dated 26th February 1904, forwarding copy of Government Notification No. 3252—L. F. 48-97, dated 26th February 1904, regarding the appointment of Mr. A. Subbanna as Municipal Commissioner in place of Mr. B. Venkoba Rao, deceased.

IV. Government Secretary's docket No. 3338—L. F. 186-96, dated 3rd March 1904, forwarding 20 copies of each of the Regulations III of 1888, VII of 1899 and VIII of 1900, etc.

V. Government Secretary's docket No. 3340—103-04, dated 3rd March 1904, requesting to cite the authority under which the President proposes to give effect to the Board's resolution regarding the acquisition of sites not built on within a reasonable time and those whereon the buildings are not completed soon.

VI. Correspondence ending with the President's memo, dated 1st March 1904, regarding the acquisition of 4 feet width of land immediately to the west of the house of Mari Dasanna, Devaraj Mohalla for improving the sanitation of that locality.

VII. Correspondence ending with the Vice-President's memo, dated 27th February 1904, regarding the application of Sri Parakalaswami Matt for a small lane situated to the north and east of the Matt.

VIII. Mysore Division Executive Engineer's docket No. 179, dated 26th February 1904, requesting to arrange with the Comptroller for the adjustment of excess expenditure of Rs. 1,561-7-11 for widening and re-grading the main road running to the south of Railway compound and the Viceroy road.

IX. Correspondence ending with the President's No. 1920, dated 2nd March 1904, regarding the up-keep of the sub-channel of the feeder channel of Kukkarhalli tank.

K. SRINIVASA RAO, for *President.*

MYSORE CITY IMPROVEMENT, CHAIRMAN'S OFFICE.

Dated 5th March 1904.

Wanted for the Chairman's Office an experienced Draughtsman for preparing estimates and plans for drainage works. Those who have passed from the Civil Engineering College, Madras or Poona, in Drawing and Estimating will be preferred. Pay from Rs. 40 to 50 according to qualifications and experience. Retired Draughtsmen from Executive Divisions may apply also. Applications should be sent with certificates of qualification and experience to the undersigned not later than the 25th instant. The appointment may possibly continue for not less than six years, and the candidate, if eligible, may be drafted to the Permanent Establishment.

Dated 7th March 1904.

Wanted for the Mysore City Improvements Division, Sub-Divisional Officers to take charge of works in connection with the Drainage and Improvement of the City of Mysore.

Applicants should be men of experience preferably in Drainage and City Improvement works, and none but those who have passed from the Colleges of Engineering Madras or Poona need apply. Salaries from Rs. 100 to 200 according to qualifications, with an allowance of Rs. 35.

Applications to be submitted to the Chairman, City Improvement Trust Board, Mysore, with copies of testimonials by the 20th instant.

SEASON REPORT OF THE BANGALORE DISTRICT FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1904.

Rainfall.—The average rainfall was 3·7 cents in the district during the month.

State of the Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Vysakhi paddy, sugar-cane and potatoes were sown; paddy, sugar-cane, horse and cow gram and ragi harvested.

Public Health.—Generally good.

Mortality.—There were 1,805 deaths in the month of November, against 1,846 in the month preceding.

Cattle.—1,591 head of cattle died during the month; of which 259 were killed by wild beasts.

Lands.—Lands assessed at Rs. 354-8-0 were taken up for cultivation.

AHMED ALI, for *Dy. Comr.*